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Today's Date: March 12, 2012 **District:** District 2 - Redding

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

RESCHEDULE OF CYPRESS AVENUE CLOSURE UNDER INTERSTATE 5

REDDING – Due to the potential for severe weather, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will not be closing Cypress Avenue at the Interstate 5 undercrossing and the fast lanes on both southbound and northbound I-5 this week as anticipated. The new dates for closure are for two nights, March 19, 2012 and March 20, 2012 from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m.

This closure is necessary to place girders (support beams) for the new lane being added on I-5 as part of the South Redding Six Lane project. The project includes adding one additional through lane in both the northbound and southbound direction from ½ mile north of Hilltop Drive overcrossing to 1 mile south of the Bonnyview Road overcrossing. Tullis, Inc. of Redding is the contractor on this \$17.7 million project.

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